



Michigan's election this Tuesday was a big-time event. It involves a cool one-third of a billion dollars.

First, a referendum on whether the State of Michigan should spend \$270,000,000 to pay a bonus to each Michigan veteran of World War II. This amount would be in addition to the present \$50,000,000 state fund already reserved for veterans' care.

Second, voters will decide the fate of a proposed constitutional amendment which would increase the state's golden sales tax revenue for return to the public schools and other units of government—cities, villages and townships. This amendment would add approximately \$64,000,000 to the coffers of local government over what they received in 1946.

So add up the \$270,000,000 bonus and the \$64,000,000 additional funds for local government, and the tally is \$334,000,000. That, in our language, is a third of a billion dollars.

And since this is a people's democracy in which things are done as the people decide, you had an opportunity this Tuesday to say how your tax money should be spent. Indirectly, of course, you will also decide whether new taxes must be levied to foot your bill. The veterans' bonus carried no provision as to how it is to be financed. That decision will be up to the State Legislature.

Also there is the matter of how to stretch the remaining dollars in the State Treasury to pay for all the things which the people back home have asked the Legislature to authorize—those public services such as colleges and hospitals and prisons and the like. In the pre-election tug-of-war between State officials and the mayors and school administrators, much has been said about the alternative of a possible deficit in the State Treasury or sharp elimination of State services, such as the above.

While State Treasurer D. Hale Burke warned against an inevitable deficit in the State Treasury or new taxes, should ballot proposal No. 2 be approved this Tuesday, the Michigan Educational Association's executive secretary sees no reason for alarm.

Quoting a statement by Dr. A. J. Phillips, which appeared in this column late in September: "There is every reason to believe that present and future revenues from the sales tax, plus various other sources of income for State government, will be sufficient for reasonable needs of other State institutions and other State agencies and services."

Dr. Phillips does believe, however, that new taxes should be levied to finance the \$270,000,000 State bonus for war veterans. He suggests "a new source of revenue."

Both nominees for governor—Kim Sigler and Murray D. Van Wagoner—frown upon the constitutional ear-marking of sales tax revenue for the public schools and cities. They suggest, instead, legislative action to reduce the State sales tax to 2 1/2 cents and the granting of authority to the cities to levy a one-half cent sales tax on goods sold by merchants.

Reduction of the sales tax has much merit.

Last January 24 this column reported: "Michigan is one of four states with a sales tax as high as 3 percent out of a total of 23 sales tax states. Illinois has cut its tax from 3 to 2 percent; California from 3 to 2 1/2 percent. Hence there appears to be some justification for a definite program in Michigan of financial assistance to distressed local governments."

Deficits may return to the State Treasury in times of unemployment and distress. Deficits existed during the following years—1932, 1933, 1938 and 1939.

Li. Gov. Vernon J. Brown, whose sagacity on state finances is widely acknowledged, once expressed regret to us that it was not possible for the State of Michigan to increase taxes during good times and decrease taxes during hard times. The "ideal" solution, he thought, would be to accumulate a surplus of money when people had plenty of money to pay higher taxes, and then to spend this surplus during hard times when people had less money and hence needed a reduction in taxes.

Gov. Harry F. Kelly, in our humble opinion, deserves praise from the taxpayers for accumulating a surplus of State funds during present inflationary good times. The veterans' \$50,000,000 fund is one result of this thrift policy. The most vexatious part of surplus-building is the covetous attempts by other interests to grab some of this money for themselves.

A surplus at Lansing prompts the taxpayer conclusion: The State has more money than it needs. Why not return some of this surplus for local use?

Little wonder, that Sigler and Van Wagoner each favor reduction of the sales tax!

The frequency with which attempts are made to revise the State constitution puts a heavy burden of responsibility upon the Michigan voter. The constitution, if drafted at a constitutional convention, must be ratified by a majority.

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Appears Guard To Get Airport

An exchange of letters between Representative Roy O. Woodruff, Clarence Johnson and Brigadier-General LeRoy Pearson indicates that the Michigan National Guard will receive the Grayling Army Air Field under what the Army terms a "revocable permit."

Clarence Johnson, who is serving as Chief Guard and acting top authority at the huge local airport, talked to Representative Woodruff during his recent visit to Grayling, at which time he promised to contact General Pearson to determine the actual status of the field and what might be expected in the future.

A letter was received by Chief Johnson on Monday from Representative Woodruff which included copies of a letter from General Pearson to the Representative and to the General from the Chief, National Guard Bureau, War Department at Washington.

The letter from the Chief, National Guard, said that the Commanding General of the Army Air Forces, Commanding General of the 5th Army and the Commanding General of the Air Defense Command had all concurred in recommending that the Grayling Army Air Field be made available to the State of Michigan under a revocable permit.

The letter also disclosed that the Adjutant General of Michigan had written to Washington on July 18, 1946, requesting the field be turned over to the state. It reached the National Guard Bureau on October 2 after receiving the approval of the Commanding General of the 5th Army. The National Guard Bureau answered the letter on October 14.

Representative Woodruff in his letter to Johnson stated that he returned the transfer would receive the final approval of the War Department. The letter from the Chief, National Guard Bureau, said "at an early date," which might mean the transfer would occur in the very near future.

Deer Population On Upswing

Conservation officers on routine patrol in the deer country keep close track, among other things, of deer seen per hour, and their 1946 observations confirm other reports in the north half of the southern peninsula, in 19 of the 36 counties open to hunting, the officers saw more deer than they did a year ago.

Counties in which more deer were seen this season include: Emmet, Presque Isle, Leelanau, Antrim, Otsego, Benzie, Grand Traverse, Crawford, Oshtemo, Alcona, Manistee, Missaukee, Roscommon, Ogemaw, Iosco, Lake.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jorgenson announce the engagement of their daughter, Leonne, to William T. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson of Battle Creek. The wedding will take place in the spring. Mr. Johnson spent 41 months in the U. S. N. A. C. 37 of which were spent overseas.

Wed In Single Ring Service Here



Pictured above from right to left are Judson McCormick, who assisted the groom; Robert Heyworth; the bride, Louise McCormick; and her sister, Mrs. Marie Duby, who served as matron of honor.

Lillian Louise McCormick, the daughter of Mrs. Louise McCormick, of Lovell, became the bride of Robert Flint Heyworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Heyworth, of Flint, in a candlelight service Sunday, October 27, at 4:00 p. m., at the Grayling Evangelical Lutheran Church. Rev. Svend Holm officiated, using the single-ring ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her uncle, Dewey Hanna, was attired in a light taupe suit and a pink ostrich feather hat. Her other accessories were black, and her flowers were tall, narrow roses and bronze baby mums. Mrs. Marie Duby, who attended her sister, wore a grey tailored suit,

HOW CRAWFORD COUNTY VOTED TUESDAY									
(Unofficial Count)									
OFFICE	STATE	City of Grayling	Grayling Township	South Branch	Beaver Creek	Frederic	Maple Forest	Lovells	Total Vote
Governor									
Kim Sigler—R		387	149	67	58	74	36	48	819
Murray Van Wagoner—D		256	52	17	25	50	16	12	421
Lieut. Governor									
Eugene C. Keyes—R		378	146	68	53	71	34	45	795
Osmund Kelly—D		238	40	16	25	47	17	13	396
CONGRESSIONAL									
Senator									
Arthur H. Vandenberg—R		402	153	68	56	68	36	47	830
James H. Lee—D		194	42	16	21	44	16	11	344
Representative									
Roy O. Woodruff—R		375	141	68	53	65	34	44	780
Herman N. Butler—D		238	46	15	26	49	19	12	405
LEGISLATURE									
State Senator									
Charles Prescott—R		398	147	70	61	65	35	41	818
State Representative									
Emil Peltz—R		383	145	69	58	65	34	41	795
COUNTY									
Prosecutor									
Robert Neafie—D		414	100	17	39	65	18	35	688
Charles Moore—R		223	100	67	43	56	35	24	548
Sheriff									
William F. Golinick—R		334	130	69	46	56	36	38	709
Reginald Sheehy—D		302	58	16	34	63	17	22	512
County Clerk									
Leo Lovely—R		450	164	70	60	73	38	46	901
Treasurer									
James Post—D		403	99	20	38	69	27	27	685
Register of Deeds									
Fred Niederer—R		446	162	21	59	69	38	45	840
Coroner									
Alfred Sorenson—R		420	159	70	59	68	41	45	862
PROPOSAL									
Number One									
For		336	68	46	40	51	27	41	609
Against		162	30	26	30	29	15	8	300
Number Two									
For		348	65	45	44	49	27	25	609
Against		189	33	29	29	39	20	15	354
Number Three									
For		328	54	30	46	82	25	23	588
Against		197	37	38	25	22	19	11	355
NON-PARTISAN									
Supreme Court Justice									
Leland Carr		393	116	61	57	67	35	39	768
Victor Bucknell		110	47	16	13	21	4	10	221

EMTA Winter Sports Council Meets At Alpena

Some 50 representatives of communities throughout the North-eastern section of the state will convene at Alpena Thursday, Nov. 7, for a luncheon meeting of the East Michigan Winter Sports Council.

The meeting, called by R. H. Fletcher, Jr., council president, will feature a report of the advertising and budget committee, of which Burrows Morley, of Saginaw, is chairman. The committee will present a detailed plan for advertising and publicizing all the winter sports parks in the area during the coming season.

Clair Taylor, secretary-manager of the Alpena Chamber of Commerce, is in charge of arrangements. He said the meeting would be at the Elks Club in Alpena, at 11 a. m.

Notice To Veterans

The local Draft Board and Veteran Information Center will be open for business hereafter, on Monday and Tuesday only of each week.

Green Wave Subdues Harbor Springs; Meet Boyne City

Saturday Battle Ends Season.

The Grayling High School football squad emerged on the Harbor Springs gridiron at half time last Friday and decided to play football—and won the game, 7 to 6.

The local boys played the first half in the same lackadaisical manner that was apparent a week ago, and as the half ended were behind by a 6 to 0 score. Harbor Springs punched over its touchdown from the 3-yard line on an off-tackle plunge by Hovey, who, a few plays before, had put them in a scoring position with a 25-yard run.

Harbor Springs had held the Grayling team deep in their own territory throughout the first quarter with the Wave never getting beyond its own 30-yard line. Following the Harbor Springs score, Grayling started digging in and dominated the play from that point for the remainder of the game.

The Grayling touchdown was made early in the third quarter, when Carlson passed to Smock for the six points and then to Pendick for the point after touchdown. Another pass, from Carlson to Smock was good for 64 yards later in the game. Smock was stopped on the 3-yard line. Grayling then pushed another score over, but it was nullified by an offside penalty. The Wave constantly knocking on the door for another touchdown all the rest of the game, but couldn't seem to push one over.

Grayling's line play in the second half was 100 percent improved, with Douglas and Grinstead stopping Harbor Springs runners all over the field. Crawford, Goss, Hanna, Kragge, Burns, Papendick, Bielski, R. Miller and Hanson, all of whom saw action on the scrimmage line, played vastly improved ball. Coach Willard Cornell was extremely happy, he said, over the improvement both offensively and defensively.

Harry Miller and Chuck Feldhausen who backed up the line, also did a fine job by always being on hand to stop runners who broke through the first line of defense. Keway, Smock and Carlson, who handle the ball-carrying department, ran well, with each coming through with gains of sizeable distance.

Grayling will not only be bidding for a win over Boyne City to end the season Saturday when they travel to that city, but will also be fighting for third place in the conference standings. A stiff battle is anticipated, as Boyne City trampled East Jordan by a 13 to 0 score last Saturday. This showing definitely favors the boys from Boyne, but with the local gridironers back in the groove, the Wave's chances of victory are as good as their opponents. Boyne

boasts a fast, shifty, light eleven, which was the only team to score on Charlevoix so far this season."

Appoint Winter Sports Chairman

The Grayling Chamber of Commerce, meeting in its first session with the new president, Wesley Kumpula presiding, named Arthur Clough, immediate past president, as the general chairman of the Winter Sports Committee.

It was also moved and unanimously supported to name Emil Tahvonen as secretary-treasurer of the Winter Sports Committee, at the same amount of remuneration as the regular Chamber secretary-treasurer.

A special meeting has been tentatively set for November 22, at which time Chairman Clough will appear before the Chamber of Commerce officers and directors to reveal his sub-chairmen and committees.

Another interesting side-note to the winter sports picture was a letter from L. N. Jones, assistant chief of the Conservation Department's parks division to the Chamber, revealing that the department is hard at work in an effort to obtain some of the buildings at the Grayling Army Air Field to use in feeding and housing park personnel and for commercial buses. A copy of the letter received by the Parks Division from the Corps of Army Engineers stated that the field and buildings were in the process of being turned over to the War Assets Administration and that the delivery date of title to the buildings should be completed by November 15. The Army stated that at that time the Department could contact the Assets Administration for the desired buildings.

Judging by the large number of inquiries from all over the Midwest regarding the Winter Sports program at Grayling for this season, it would appear that a huge season is in store for the recreation area this year, Chamber Secretary Jerome Kesselner said.

He read many inquiries at the meeting, a large number from out of town, and announced his marriage to Lt. Joyce Brown, W.A.C., in a military wedding in Korea.

Marriage Announced

Virgil Kolka, PFC, Korea, enlisted for a three-year hitch in the U. S. Army and left August 2. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kolka, announce his marriage to Lt. Joyce Brown, W.A.C., in a military wedding in Korea.

Vandenberg, Sigler Lead Party To Win

Bob Neafie, Jim Post Win County Offices.

With Kim Sigler and Arthur H. Vandenberg leading the way, the Republican party made a clean sweep in the races for state offices and in the senatorial race in Michigan. As late returns piled in, some observers estimated victories for Senator Vandenberg over his Democratic opponent, James Lee, and Kim Sigler over Van Wagoner, by over 200,000 votes.

In the Congressional race in the 10th District, veteran Representative Roy O. Woodruff was virtually assured of victory over his Democratic opponent, Herman Butler. Over the state, it appeared as returns were tabulated that the Republican party would pick up two or possibly three seats in the House of Representatives. All Republican incumbents in the Congressional races seemed assured of victory, and Republican candidates running against three Democratic incumbents were holding good leads.

The election of Eugene Keyes as Lieut.-Governor, Frederick Alger Jr. as Secretary of State, Eugene F. Black as Attorney General, D. Hale Brake as State Treasurer, and Muriel K. Aten as Auditor General were assured as returns showed sizeable majorities in favor of each candidate.

All three proposals of amendments to the state constitution seemed to have received the blessings of the voters, which will give the newly-elected Kim Sigler a financial problem on taking office. The first amendment will allow the state to expend money developing and improving airports and harbors of refuge, while number two will divert some sales tax revenue back to the cities, schools and counties. The third proposal is to pay a soldiers' bonus which will cost an estimated \$270,000,000.

Leland Carr, Kim Sigler's partner in the Grand Jury investigation, easily defeated Victor Bucknell in the non-partisan race for a seat of the Michigan Supreme Court.

In the County, there were only two races with the Democrats and Republicans dividing wins. Robert Neafie, returned war veteran, defeated incumbent Charles Moore for Prosecuting Attorney by a 688 to 548 vote, while William Golinick, under-sheriff, defeated his Democratic rival, Reginald Sheehy, by

Close District OPA Office At Cheboygan

The Price Control Board at Cheboygan, serving the counties of Cheboygan, Otsego, Crawford, Montmorency and Presque Isle closed November 4, Jos. F. Doyle, Chairman of the local board announced.

"This step marks the conclusion of almost five years of unprecedented patriotic service by many citizens of Grayling who, through their thousands of hours of volunteer work, have prevented inflationary dangers from taking effect and saw that their neighbors had an equal right to their fair share of scarce commodities during the days of rationing," Mr. Doyle said. "Members of Cheboygan's Price Control Board stayed on the job for more than a year after the end of the war. Production has had a chance to catch up with the demand. Now that President Truman has announced the program for accelerating the remaining wartime controls, Price Administrator Paul A. Porter has determined that the remaining functions of local boards can be continued by the District OPA Office at 600 Griswold St., Detroit."

Cochran - Van Natter

Saturday, October 28, Mrs. Elsie Cochran and Mr. N. B. Van Natter surprised their many friends by going to Gaylord, where they were married by Rev. Virgil Billings.

The happy couple spent their honeymoon in Northern Michigan, returning Tuesday evening. On their return to their home, they were greeted by a group of relatives, who came to wish them a happy married life. Mr. and Mrs. Van Natter received many lovely gifts. Cards were the order of the evening, followed by a delicious lunch served at small tables.

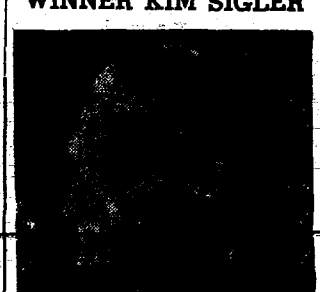
Michelson Memorial Church News

There will be a potluck supper Thursday evening, November 7, at 6:30 o'clock at the church. Bring the family and come along. Bring your table service. Inasmuch as this is the first quarterly conference, Dr. Howard Field, District Superintendent, will be present. He will have with him some very interesting kodachrome slides depicting some of the church activities.

a 709 to 512 vote. Neafie took a 191 vote lead over Moore in the city balloting and held Moore to only a 51 vote increase in the townships, to win the race with a 140 vote majority. Golinick defeated Sheehy by 22 votes in the city, and won every township to add up to his 197 vote majority.

James Post, Democratic candidate for County Treasurer; Leo Lovely, Republican candidate for

WINNER KIM SIGLER



BACK TO SENATE



Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg

County Clerk; Fred Niederer, Republican incumbent for Register, and Alfred Sorenson, Republican incumbent for coroner, were all unopposed.

Crawford County voters approved all three amendments, giving Proposal One a 369 vote majority, Proposal Two a 249 vote margin, and Proposal Three a majority of 233 votes.

Charles Prescott, Republican candidate for State Senator, and Emil Peltz, Republican incumbent for State Representative, were unopposed. Crawford County gave National Representative Roy O. Woodruff a margin of 375 votes over his Democratic opponent, Herman Butler. Kim Sigler was given a 391 vote plurality and Senator Vandenberg a 488 vote margin.

Home Extension Groups Enjoy Book Review

Home Extension Group III entertained members of the Crawford County groups at a social meeting at the Legion Hall, Monday evening.

For entertainment the some fifty ladies enjoyed a book review of the book, "The Double-Wedding Ring," by Josephine Lawrence; very lively given by Mrs. Ben Fischer of Traverse City. Mrs. Fischer who is an artist, added to the evening by showing a number of her own screen prints, which were very beautiful.

Silence Cloth
If the silence cloth for the dining room table is too large, fasten loops at each corner and catch them to small hooks on the under side of the table.

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The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at NOON on Wednesday.

ROCK WOOL INSULATION—Blown in, guaranteed not to settle. Makes a structure more comfortable both summer and winter. Apply Box B, Avalanche Office for further information.

SLAB WOOD for Sale—Approximately 4 cords, \$10.00 per load. Phone 4438. Stanley Hummel. 5-18-46

WOOD for Sale—Green or dry slab wood—by cord or load. Milo Case, 202 Oliver Street. 24-31-7-14

FOR SALE—Winter potatoes. Write or see Stanley Hummel. 10-17-24-31

FOR SALE—Tailored black broad-cloth suit, size 16, in A-1 condition, \$20. Hayes Upholstering Shop. 31

SAVE your worn-out clothing—pants, shirts, coats, underwear, socks, etc.; also worn-out rag rugs and carpets. We will make them into new rugs and carpets for you. Call at 308 Mikado St. 17-24-31

FOR SALE—Wood or coal burning water heater and 30 gallon hot water tank. 607 Maple St. 31

HOW TO GET THE JOB YOU WANT—Forward one dollar (currency) for your prospectus. Write: Industries, Ltd., 1808 N. Oakley, Saginaw, Mich. 10-46

FOR SALE—Hardwood Clippings, also few pieces of Furniture. Mrs. James Knibbs, 111 McClellan St., Grayling.

RADIOS AND SUPPLIES—Distributor for all Willard products. We have all kinds and sizes. Complete stock of radio parts. We handle receivers adapted for good northern radio reception. Specialties in radio 6 new high class Hallicrafter Radios, 3 band also used electric and battery radios. BUD SLOCUM RADIO, resident shop near high school, Roscommon. 24-31-7

PLAIN NOTE PAPER—For that hasty message. 40c per box. Avalanche Office. 31

FOR SALE—1 registered Holstein bull calf from good stock. \$50. Write or see Stanley Hummel, Star Route, Grayling. 31-7-14

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EXPERIENCED AUCTIONEER—Have sold everything from limited household goods to large ranch dispersement. Write or see Ves E. Spencer, R. 2 Gladwin, Michigan. 10-24-12-31

FOR SALE—Antiques, antique furniture, rich tapestries, rugs, paintings, china and glassware. B. Korach, Kalkaska, Mich. 17-24-31-7

PLASTERING and contracting—Material on hand. Art Couch. One block toward Lake Margrethe from Cottage Inn, Grayling. 21-7-14-21

WANTED—Girl or woman to care for children. No housework. \$10 week. Phone 3781 or call at 700 Elm St. Mrs. Joe Lennett. 81-7

YOUR OVERCOAT—Mothproofed for 5 years for only 62c. Beriou Mothspray guarantees to repair or replace your coat if damaged by moths within 5 years. Mac's Drug Store. 7

LOST—Small Beagle Hound, white and tan color, white diamond-shaped on back of shoulder. Finder please return to A. Gierke, 209 Maple St. Road. 7

FOR SALE—Lots 7 and 8, Block No. 26, Roffee's Addition, 120' by 120'. \$200.00. Write Milly Wolgast, R. 2, East Jordan. 9/26-31

AN IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFT—Personalized Stationery. Order now for later delivery. Avalanche Office. 31

FOR SALE—Northern Spy apples, large, hand-picked, sprayed, No. 1, \$3.00 per bushel. Bring your own containers, or place orders by card or phone King's Orchard, Houghton King and Sons, Houghton Lake Village, on US-27. Phone 3981. 31-7-14-21

FOUND—One gray and brown mare. Inquire, Don Canfield Sr., Beaver Creek. 7

OPPORTUNITY of lifetime supplying DDT and other profitable products to farmers in North or central Michigan. Must have auto and good references. Permanent. Write or wire McNESS COMPANY, Dept. T, Freeport, Illinois. 7-14

WE ARE NOW agents for Rawleigh Products. B. H. Yoder, 310 Fulton. Phone 2661. 7-14-21-28

WILL SWAP—New Bottle Gas Stove for fairly new Electric Stove. Bill's Shoe Repair, Ph. 3541. 7

WANTED—Representative to call on retail variety trade. Exclusive territory. Experience essential. Must have own car. SAGINAW SPECIALTY CO., Inc. 212 South Hamilton St., Saginaw, Michigan. 7-14

ANTIQUES for sale—Antique furniture with tapestry, Oriental rugs, paintings, glassware, china, costumes, Spanish Bredermeyer, Turkish, Paisley's. B. Korach, Kalkaska, Mich. 7-14-21-28

FOR SALE—Water Heater; burns wood or coal. Also 30-gal. hot water tank. 607 Maple St. 7

WANTED—Truck driver with a chauffeur license. See Frederic School Bus Driver at Grayling School, between 12 and 1. No phone calls. 7

LOST—Large Navy Blue Cloth Purse, containing money and ration books, belonging to Mrs. Geo. Moore. Finder return to Mrs. John Papendick, 307 Michigan Ave., Grayling. 7

Frederic News

The Alfred Armstrongs are moving into the Charles Armstrong home.

C. S. Barber returned from a week's visit in Flint.

Mrs. C. S. Barber, Mrs. Kenneth Allen, and Mrs. Harry Horton were callers in Traverse City last Tuesday.

Mrs. Laura Wallace, Mrs. Gilbert Cram, Vern Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wallace attended the funeral, last Saturday, of Earl Quick in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perry were home from Detroit last week-end. James E. Tobin has been on the sick list but is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hopkins are temporarily residing in Lewiston, where Mr. Hopkins is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hartman spent last Monday in Petoskey.

FREDERIC SCHOOL NEWS
A sound motion picture projector has been purchased by the Frederic School Board and will be used for educational and recreational purposes. An extensive program of films is being booked for the various classes for the balance of the year.

Mrs. Kuhlman's room gave a farewell party for George McEvers, a fifth grader, and Derek McEvers, a sixth grader. The two boys have left us to enter the Grayling school. The party was held in the Home Economics room.

The boys and girls decorated the room with red and blue crepe paper streamers. Three long tables provided a place for the refreshments, which consisted of sandwiches, cookies, ice cream and popcorn.

The Freshman Class sponsored a Halloween party on Wednesday evening with about 30 guests present. As the guests arrived, they were forced to go through a "Chamber of Horrors" before they entered the gym. The balance of the evening was spent in games and contests. An excellent lunch was served in the group in the Home Economics room.

On the day of Halloween the Primary grades had a costume parade through the business district and received a treat at the Lozon Store. Upon their return to school, they attended the showing of an animated cartoon and a travel picture. The children received treats from their teachers before the day closed.

The 5th, 6th and 7th grades enjoyed an outdoor fire where they roasted wieners and had their lunch. They also were shown a fine movie on South America.

Lovells Notes
Mr. and Mrs. John Kurchenko of Detroit spent a few days at their cabins on Shupac Lake, returning home Tuesday.

Arthur Feldhauser is driving a new Plymouth.

Margie Caid spent the weekend at home, returning Sunday night to Bay City to attend to her school duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Brandt and girls, of Midland, spent a few days at their cabin near Lovells. While here they enjoyed the sport of hunting deer with bow and arrow.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anschutz will return the first of the week to Cleveland, Ohio, after spending a year in Lovells. They have made many friends here and all are reluctant to have them leave us; but all of us are hoping they will enjoy better health after they get settled back in their home city.

A lovely shower was given at the Town Hall last Thursday evening, honoring the newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. Pierson Spaulding. A nice crowd gathered with their nicely wrapped gifts to extend their hearty congratulations to the couple, who left the next day for Harrison, Michigan, where they plan to make their home. The polka lunch was enjoyed by all attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stillwagon and family spent Sunday with relatives in Lovells.

Another dancing party at the Town Hall, Saturday night. Edgar Douglas has been a patient in Mercy Hospital, Grayling, the past week.

Northern Lights
GIRL SCOUT NEWS
Troop II of the Girl Scouts was organized with a membership of forty. An interesting program was planned for the ensuing year. At present their project is the preparation of "Thinking Day" gift boxes, which are to be sent to Scouts in foreign countries.

Boxes will be sent this week to Austria, Czechoslovakia, Finland, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Norway, the Philippines, and Poland. The boxes are made up of school supplies, recreational supplies, arts and crafts materials and food.

The adult leaders are Miss Kraus and Miss Bennett.

HALLOWEEN PROGRAM
Last Wednesday evening over 700 young folks and adults jammed the school for the annual Halloween party sponsored by the City and School. Announcers Ed Carlson and Clare Burns started things rolling shortly after 6:30.

Champion cracker chasers were Carl Hatfield, Phyllis Goss and Robert Horning. The top apple biters were Richard Cook, Allan Lucksted and Glen Richardson.

After looking over 150 "Dress-ups", judges Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Mrs. Leonard Knibbs and Mrs. Robert Neale picked George Kessler, Jim Kessler, Connie Davis and Sandra Newell for first group prizes.

Helen Balch, Peter Stephan, Sallie Gross and Jeanine Sorenson, and Orin Lucksted were placed in the second group. Roy Lovely, Shirley Kolka, Maryda Stillwagon, Jonanne Lennett, Marlene Vincent and Nancy Sorenson made up the third group of winners.

BOYS BUILDING
There probably isn't a public building in Crawford County that is used more during the evenings than the High School. Last Tuesday night, as Bud remarked, "we needed a traffic cop in order to direct people."

A record turnout filled room 35 with P.T.A. members. The Woman's bowling league met in the assembly. The Girl Scouts started their meeting in Room 42 and finished in the gym, just ahead of the P.T.A. refreshments committee. The nightly Veterans Institute class met as usual in Room 33.

SENIOR PICTURES
Last week the senior pictures were taken. Although it's a long way to June, several wished to use their portraits for Christmas presents.

JUNIOR HIGH PARTY
Last Friday 74 young folks from grades 7-8 were guests of the Eighth Grade at a Junior Hi Lumberjack Jive. Pop and sandwiches were served. Several cake dances highlighted the evening.

BOY SCOUTS
The regular meeting last week was cancelled. The Troop turned out and did a fine job helping at the Halloween party.

PEP BAND
Friday saw the debut of the first section of the Grayling Band when a group of seven experienced players who call themselves the "Pep Band", played several pieces at an assembly to send the squad off to win the football game at Harbor Springs.

The Band plans to present a weekly program of college songs from which the student body is to pick a permanent school song for Grayling High.

NAVY DAY PROGRAM

THIS WEEK
Last Tuesday Mr. Cornell was in charge of the Navy Day Program in the assembly. Mr. Cornell spoke a few words on Navy Day after the flag had been carried in by members of the Flying Eagle Boy Scout Patrol, who led the group in the Pledge. Group singing, led by Mrs. Clippert at

the piano, and directed by Mr. Christian, with the following talks rounded out a fine program:
"Navy Day" — Geneva Avery
"John Paul Jones" — Emily Giegling
"A True Navy Story" — Harry Miller
"Captain Perry" — Iris Madsen
"Admiral Dewey" — Phyllis Newell
"Admiral Farragut" — Jackie Harwood

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Who Gets Off Easiest—
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Maybe you saw that poll on who has the easiest life—men or women? Of course, the men voted that the women did, and the women vice versa.

It would be the same in our town—take any family. Thad Phibbs envies his Mimsa spending the day at home, with no hot office to attend to. And Sue envies Thad his luncheon with the boys; and his evening glass of beer with friends (while she cleans up the dishes in the kitchen).

Of course, none of it goes very

deep. Thad knows way deep down that the Mimsa has plenty of work running a house; and Sue knows Thad's friendly glass of beer is well-deserved relaxation after a long hard day's work.

From where I sit, most husbands and wives may grumble now and then—but they know in their hearts it's a case of live and let live, give and take, that comes out pretty even in the end.

Joe Marsh

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The Philosophy of America

Doctor Harold C. Urey, who participated in the development of the atomic bomb, warns that either the United States must secure adequate international control of the bomb or begin preparations for the third world war. Without fuss or furor, military authorities are doing just that—preparing for the next war. It will be the war of the atom bomb.

With such horror threatening them, the American people should take stock of themselves. Just what is it that compels them to choose death if need be rather than face a future under the possible dominance of another nation? The popular slogan of "saving the world for democracy" is not enough. In fact, no catch phrases, including tear-jerking sermons on the four freedoms, are sufficient spiritual magnitude to cause an individual to step forth willingly to die. Yet something so powerful pervades this land that the people will unhesitatingly choose destruction rather than "appease" those who would have us live other than according to our political ideals.

The challenge of the atom bomb may do more than anything else to restore the American sense of values. False standards cannot live in a nation where the people think seriously. A new understanding of the philosophy that the individual is more important than the state, is long overdue. This is the essence of Christianity. It is this, and nothing else, for which the people of this country are willing to stake their lives.

Is this Christian philosophy of the individual firsts that we see and feel in the clean morning air in every nook and cranny of the United States as millions of us wend our way to work and play. It pervades every business enterprise big and little. It is the foundation of our government. On Sunday the bells of thousands of churches peal a ringing affirmation. No mere clumsy words can describe this philosophy of America, but it is there for all to enjoy—and it is worth more than life itself.



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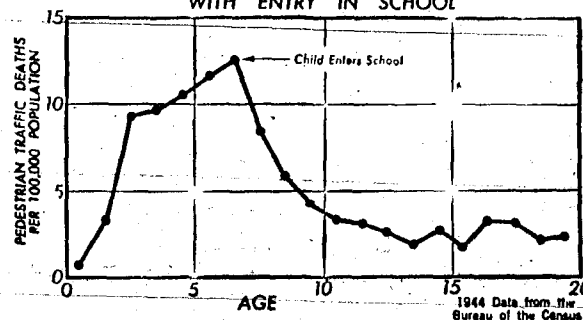


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Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

November 8, 1923

Winners of prizes at the "Top O' Michigan" potato show that is now going on at Gaylord were announced this morning and both Mr. and Mrs. William Feldhauser of Maple Forest were mentioned. Mrs. Feldhauser won second prize on an exhibit of Red potatoes; Mr. Feldhauser won a massive silver cup on an exhibit of Rural Russet set potatoes.

Alonso Collens and family are settled in the McCullough house on Cedar street vacated by Angus McPhee.

Clare Cameron, who is teaching school near East Jordan, spent the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cameron, and family.

Lioriel LaGrow, who is employed in Lansing, is visiting here.

Miss Kathryn Brown has been assisting at the Carl W. Peterson jewelry store during the sale.

Miss Margrethe Bauman will leave the latter part of the week for Detroit to be in attendance at the Military ball given by the Army and Navy.

Word from Compton, Calif., announces the birth of an eleven-pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hodge. Mrs. Hodge will be remembered as Miss Anna Fischer.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jerome sailed November 3rd from France on the Aquitania after spending a month in Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. William McNeal left Saturday for Bay City, expecting to take up their residence somewhere in the Southern part of the state.

Miss Helen Lietz entertained a few of her girl friends last week at her home in honor of her eleventh birthday anniversary.

A. C. Wilcox left Monday for Grand Rapids to spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Peter E. Johnson.

Karl Sherman, eleven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Sherman, was accidentally shot in the right shoulder last Thursday afternoon. He is improving rapidly.

Mrs. Clesson Peck and child, Earl, Raymond and Dorothy, arrived the latter part of the week from Big Rapids, joining Mr. Peck who has been employed as foreman for the T. W. Hanson lumber

company since last spring. The family expect to make their home here and have rented the home of Mrs. Josephine Conklin temporarily.

Michigan Mirror

(Continued from Front Page)

majority of the voters before it becomes a part of our law. Five constitutions so drafted, have been submitted to voters. Three of them were approved and two rejected.

The last constitution, the result of a 133-day convention in 1907-8, was approved 224,000 to 13,000. Since 1908 the voters have approved five amendments to the constitution: Civil service, non-partisan election of judges, 15-mill tax limitation, non-diversion of gasoline tax and motor vehicle license fees, and liquor control commission.

The American system of government needs an informed and enlightened citizenry if it is to function effectively. It also needs a citizenry who regards the right of franchise as a patriotic duty.

When you go to the polls next Tuesday, you are fulfilling an obligation that is vital to the survival of democracy.

Boys and Girls in Service

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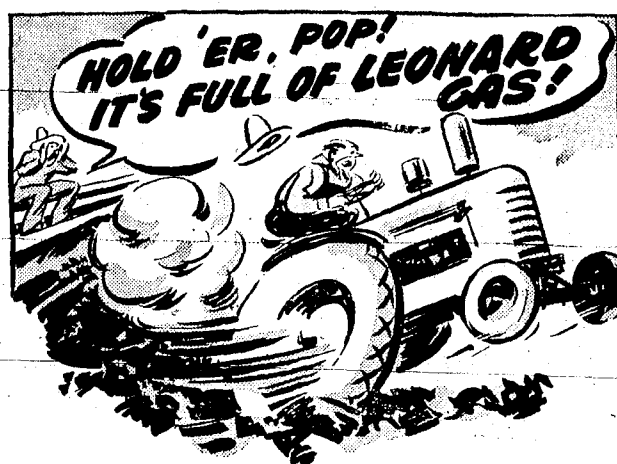
A MAGICIAN IN CHEMISTRY

He is Willard Dow of Midland, Michigan, and when people call him a genius and a wonder man, he disapproves and says there is no such thing as genius—ONLY HARD WORK. Read "MAGICIAN IN CHEMISTRY," in The American Weekly, with this Sunday's (November 10) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.

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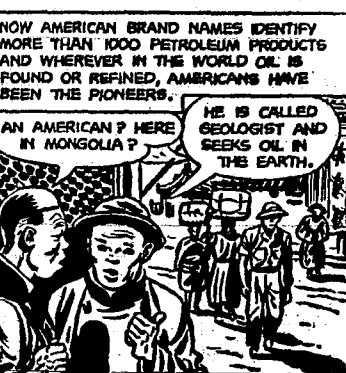
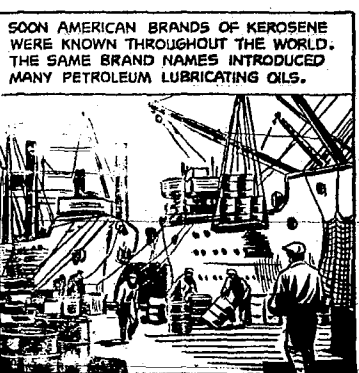
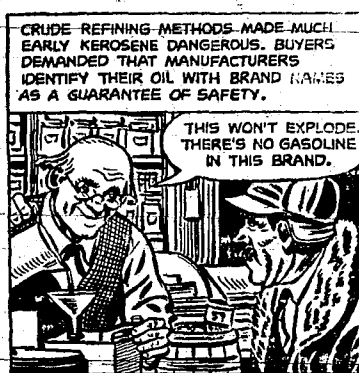
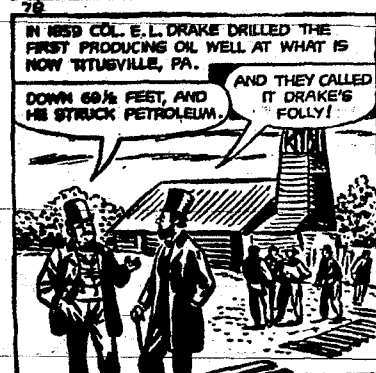
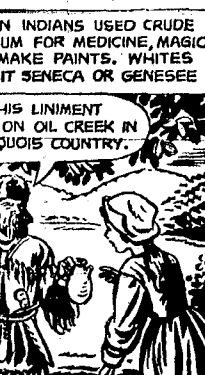
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LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling, in said County, on the 28th day of October, 1946.

Present, Honorable Ray Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Margrethe Hanson, deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of the claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court;

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 6th day of January, 1947, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three consecutive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement,
Judge of Probate.

(A true copy)
Ray F. Clement,
Judge of Probate. 31-7-14-21

STATE OF MICHIGAN

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD IN CHANCERY

EYRE W. MIDDLETON,
Plaintiff

vs.
LOUIS HEIDELBACH, EDWARD SMITH, SARAH SMITH, JOSEPH DOUGLAS AND EMMA DOUGLAS, or their unknown heirs, devisees,

Star Dust

STAGE-SCREEN-RADIO
Released by Western Newspaper Union.

By VIRGINIA VALE

IT'S good news for jazz lovers that Benny Goodman will be back on the air regularly. Beginning July 1, he'll have the 9:30-10:00 P. M. spot Monday nights on NBC. The famous sextette will top the

York's Paramount Theater.

After Hugo Hass spent a couple of months growing a walrus mustache for his role in Loew-Lewin's "Bel Ami," with George Sanders, he was ordered to shave it off because it didn't look authentic! Now he pastes one on every morning, to look natural.

A lot of people have been trying to get Danny Kaye for the on-the-side picture he's permitted to do away from the Samuel Goldwyn fold during the next six months, and right now they'd probably like to muzzle Frederic March. Kaye, in "The Secret Life of Walter Mitty," was working on a stage adjoining the one where March was starring in "The Best Years of Our Lives," and Frederic, who did "The Royal Family" on the screen, suggested that Danny go back to New York and do a musical comedy version of it on the stage. Danny liked the idea.

The return of the beloved O'Neills to the air has been so successful that American Broadcasting decided to put them on four nights a week instead of two, the original schedule. And Columbia Pictures likes the series so much that Virginia Van Upp has been working on a series of family pictures based on the characters Michael Fitzmaurice, the experienced actor who plays Father Danny O'Neill, the young priest, would have the same role. Incidentally, Michael wanted to be a priest, but the lure of the stage was too strong.

Some of you movie fans who have written to Robert Young may see your own missives in his latest picture, "Lady Luck," in which he co-stars with Barbara Hale and Frank Morgan. One scene in the comedy shows a hotel lobby, complete with clerk's desk and pigeon-holes for mail. And all the letters used in that scene were sent to Young, from all over the world, by his fans.

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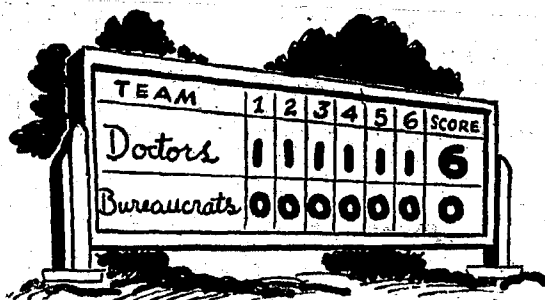
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The Bureaucrats' objective: Control of the nation's health facilities and patients. A thinner spread of production-line medical care with increased taxes under a system of socialized medicine.

In Michigan the doctors' team scored as follows:*

- 1 Enlarged coverage by Michigan Medical Service (a voluntary non-profit organization) to supply protection against catastrophic illness to 838,616 Michigan members.
- 2 Established the Michigan Plan for Medical Care of Veterans by home town doctors of their own choice, in cooperation with the Veterans Administration and the Michigan State Office of Veterans Affairs.
- 3 Recommended the Hill-Burton bill which congress passed to provide for additional hospital facilities.
- 4 Made a state-wide investigation of Child Health Care and Services.
- 5 Established the Michigan Foundation for Medical and Health Education, to provide training scholarships in these fields.
- 6 Established nine Rheumatic Fever Control Centers throughout Michigan.

Doctors in other states have taken similar action!

The Bureaucrats team scored: NOTHING!
(Congress adjourned and wisely left no conclusive findings for a national program of socialized medicine)

But the losers will be back again for another struggle next year. Keep your Congressman informed of your faith in American Medicine to solve medical problems. Keep your doctor free to serve you.

*For details write to Michigan State Medical Society, 3600 Oak Tower, Lansing 8, Michigan.

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man; that is, at least for one night. But today's world has developed a man who, it seems, is certainly a great deal busier than Santa Claus or anyone else; that's Kilroy.

Born of some fertile GI brain, Kilroy has been racing around like mad from one corner of the world to the other. He has jigs in the comic strip, "Bringing Up Father", by George McManus, just about crazy, and he has wormed his way into many others of today's cartoons appearing in both the press and magazines.

Well, Kilroy was certainly busy in Grayling a few nights during the past week. The sign, "Kilroy

Grayling Bowling League

MEN'S DIVISION
Week Ending October 29

Team	W	L	Pts
Hanson's Chevrolet	15	6	21
Oates' Photo	16	5	20
Ron's Hardware	13	8	18
Tuft's Texaco	13	8	18
Wade's Cabin Court	11	10	15
Crawford Avalanche	11	10	15
Green's Tavern	10	11	14
Bert's Mobilgas	11	10	14
Altes Lager	9	12	14
Jarmin's Insurance	10	11	13
Little George's	8	13	11
Spike's Keg O' Nails	8	13	10
Kaiser's Bar	6	15	8
Grayling Restaurant	6	15	7

The Grayling Men's Bowling League standings began to take on a familiar look as Hanson's Chevrolet forged into first place, one point ahead of the season's pace-setter, Oates' Photo. Tuft's Texaco also came to life with a quick jump from sixth to fourth place, while Bert's Mobilgas dropped from fourth to a three-way tie for sixth with Green's Tavern and Altes Lager.

Tony Nelson grabbed individual three-game honors for the week with a 548, while he and Bill Sterling both bowled 214's in the single game category. Neither Charley Long's single of 255 or Roy Milnes' series of 611 was threatened with being toppled from the season high list.

Green's Tavern squad holds first place in high team and series—both without handicap. Al Cherven continued in the lead in the individual race with 178, with Roy Milnes in second with 174 and Al Cariveau and Sam Rasmussen tied for third with 171.

Ralph Collen, Carl Nass and Charley Papenfus jointly hold fourth place with 169. Dave Cook has fifth place to himself with 168, while Herman Bertl and Doc Martzowka divide sixth place with 166, and Johnny Johnson is in seventh with 165.

WOMEN'S DIVISION
Week Ending October 31

Team	W	L	Pts
Jarmin's	16	5	21
Porath's	14	7	20
Dorett's	13	8	18

Hanson's 10 11 14
Long's 10 11 12
Dawson's 9 12 11
Olson's 8 15 8
Sorenson's 6 16 8

Erma Burch rolled a single game of 174 and a three-game series of 456 to grab both high honors for the week. Amy Gothro's 188 and Fern Akers' 488 series were still the best rolled so far this season, however.

Jarmin's squad rolled the best single and series in team play this week. They also hold the season

record in the same departments, and Erma Burch tied for second with 138 each. Iva Jarmin is in column, with Margrethe Nielsen third position with 137.

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SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS

October Session, 1946

Annual meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on Monday the 14th day of October, 1946. Meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Sydney A. Dyer.

Roll was called by Townships and City of which the following Supervisors responded:

Beaver Creek Township, Frank Millikin, supervisor.

Frederic Township, Ray Murphy, supervisor.

Grayling Township, Leo Isenbauer, supervisor.

Lovells Township, Austin J. Scott, supervisor.

Maple Forest Township, Archie Howe, supervisor.

South Branch Township, Sydney A. Dyer, supervisor.

City of Grayling, George Burke, supervisor.

Moved by Murphy and supported by Scott that the Prosecutor be requested to meet with the State Tax Commission and determine the proper method by apportionment the taxes in Crawford County for the year 1946, and the Clerk and the Treasurer be authorized to draw warrant for any expenses incurred. Roll called: Yea: Murphy, Scott, Millikin, Isenbauer, Howe, Burke, Scott. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott and supported by Millikin that the several communications be placed in the hands of the Ways and Means Committee. All members voting yea. Motion carried.

Moved by Murphy and supported by Millikin that we adjourn until Monday A. M. at 9 o'clock. Yea: Murphy, Millikin, Scott, Howe, Burke, Isenbauer. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Sydney A. Dyer, Chairman.

Bessie Doner, Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford continued and held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 21st day of October, 1946.

Meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Sydney A. Dyer. Roll was called. All members answering present.

Minutes of the meeting held on the 14th day of October were read and approved.

Mrs. Pearl Nolan, Welfare Director, appeared before the Board to talk over Welfare matters.

Charles E. Moore, Prosecuting Attorney, appeared before the Board to discuss tax matters.

Emil Giegling appeared before the Board to discuss E.M.T.A. matters and to ask for an increase in the appropriation for the following year.

A report was made by the committee for the Infirmary Building leased by Mrs. Della Welsh and it was moved by Burke and supported by Murphy that the lease of Mrs. Welsh be extended to May 1, 1947. Roll called: Yea: Burke, Murphy, Isenbauer, Scott, Howe, Carlson and Dyer. Nays: Millikin. Motion carried.

The report of the Ways and Means Committee:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors: Gentlemen: Your committee on Ways and Means have had the several communications under consideration and recommend the following: That we adopt the resolution passed by the Hillsdale County Board of Supervisors and a copy be sent to Roy O. Woodruff and Senators Homer Ferguson and Arthur Vandenberg. The Alger County Board of Supervisors and a copy be sent to the State Department of Social Welfare. The Washtenaw County Board of Supervisors and a copy sent to our State Senator and Representative. The Van Buren County Board of Supervisors and a copy sent to our State Representative. State Senator and State Association of Supervisors. The Grand Traverse Co. pertaining to the State Health Department and a copy sent to the Governor, State Representative and State Senator. The following be placed on file: The Report of the Agricultural Agent, Resolutions from Grand Traverse, Ionia County, Clare and Hillsdale County and letters from the State Association of Supervisors.

Respectfully submitted, Archie Howe, George Burke, Leo Isenbauer.

Committee on Ways and Means.

Moved by Scott and supported by Burke that the report of the Ways and Means Committee be accepted, approved and adopted. All members voting Yea; motion carried.

Moved by Carlson and supported by Scott that the Matter of the Budget be placed in the hands of the Ways and Means Committee. All members voting Yea; motion carried.

Moved by Isenbauer and supported by Millikin that the matter of apportionment be placed in the hands of the Apportionment committee. All members voting Yea; motion carried.

Moved by Scott and supported by Burke that the Claims and Accounts Committee be placed in the hands of the Claims and Accounts Committee. All members voting Yea; motion carried.

Sydney A. Dyer, Chairman.

Bessie Doner, Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford continued and held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 23rd day of October, 1946.

Meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Sydney A. Dyer. Roll was called. All members answering present.

Minutes of the meeting held on the 21st day of October were read and approved.

Mrs. Pearl Nolan, Welfare Director, appeared before the Board to talk over Welfare matters.

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Chairman.

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford, continued and held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 22nd day of October A. M., 1946.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Sydney A. Dyer. Roll was called by Townships and City: All members answering present.

Minutes of the meeting held on the 21st day of October were read and approved.

Moved by Carlson and supported by Millikin that the County Tax be cancelled on Fractional Lot 11, Block 5, Hadley's 2nd; Fractional Lot 8, Hadley's 2nd; Fractional Lot 8, Hadley's 2nd; due to dual assessment.

Roll called: Yea: Carlson, Millikin, Murphy, Isenbauer, Scott, Howe, Burke and Dyer. Nays: None. Motion carried.

The several committees asked for further time.

Moved by Howe and supported by Scott that we adjourn until Wednesday, October 23 at 9 o'clock A. M. Motion carried.

Sydney A. Dyer, Chairman.

Bessie Doner, Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford, held at the Court House in the City of Grayling on the 23rd day of October, 1946.

Meeting was called to order by the Chairman, Sydney A. Dyer. Roll called. All members answering present.

Minutes of the meeting held on the 22nd day of October were read and approved.

REPORT OF THE CLAIMS AND ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE.

The Board of Supervisors of said County.

Dated Oct. 22, 1946.

States of Michigan, County of Crawford, ss:

To the Honorable, said Board of Supervisors:

Your Committee on Claims and Accounts would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that several amounts scheduled herein be allowed, also that the Clerk of this Board be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer for the same.

Claimant

1. City of Grayling

2. Tri-County Telephone Co.

3. City of Grayling

4. Tri-County Telephone Co.

5. Tri-County Telephone Co.

6. City of Grayling

7. City of Grayling

8. Tri-County Telephone Co.

9. Hanson Hardware Co.

School Dist. No. 4, 6 mills 531.18

Township, 1 mill 181.70

Frederic Township

County, 6 mills 1,038.78

Welfare, 2 mills 348.26

School, 5 mills 865.65

School Debt Service, 3 mills 519.39

Township, 1 mill 173.13

Cemetery, 1 mill 173.13

Howell Township

County, 3 mills 554.66

Welfare, 2 mills 1,847.22

School Dist. No. 1, 6 mills 4,009.56

School Dist. No. 3, 6 mills 1,532.10

Township, 1 mill 923.61

South Branch Township

County, 6 mills 2,247.90

Welfare, 2 mills 749.30

School, Gerrish Higgins

R. A., 7 mills obligation 2,622.55

5 mills limitation opera. 1,873.28

2 mills debt service 749.30

Township, 1 mill 374.65

Lovells Township

County, 6 mills 1,848.60

Welfare, 2 mills 618.20

Frederic R. A. School, 5 mills 1,540.50

School, Debt Service, 3 mills 924.30

Township, 1 mill 308.10

City of Grayling

County, 6 mills 7,611.60

Welfare, 2 mills 2,537.20

School Dist. No. 1, 6 mills 7,611.60

Respectfully submitted,

Leo Isenbauer,

Edwin Carlson,

Committee on Apportionment.

Moved by Millikin and supported by Murphy that the report of the Apportionment Committee be accepted, approved and adopted.

Roll called: Yea: Millikin, Murphy, Isenbauer, Scott, Howe, Burke, Carlson and Dyer. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott and supported by Isenbauer that the matter of auditing the Justice Dockets be placed in the hands of the Finance and Settlement Committee. All members voting yea. Motion carried.

Moved by Burke and supported by Murphy that the report of the Finance and Settlement Committee be accepted, approved and adopted.

Roll called: Yea: Burke, Murphy, Isenbauer, Scott, Howe, Burke, Carlson and Dyer. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Scott and supported by Isenbauer that the matter of auditing the Justice Dockets be placed in the hands of the Finance and Settlement Committee. All members voting yea. Motion carried.

Moved by Burke and supported by Murphy that the report of the Finance and Settlement Committee be accepted, approved and adopted.

Roll called: Yea: Burke, Murphy, Isenbauer, Scott, Howe, Burke, Carlson and Dyer. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Application for County Road Commissioner were read as follows: Chester, LeRoy, Jerry Sherman, Bayly Dyer and Elmer Corman. Sallies were cast and Chester Lozes receiving the majority of votes was therefore elected as a member of the Crawford County Road Commission for a term of six years.

Moved by Howe and supported by Scott that the Committee on Roads and Bridges, Burke, Murphy and Isenbauer, be authorized to examine the records of the Crawford County Road Commission. All members voting yea. Motion carried.

Report of Committee on Finance and Settlement:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

The Committee on Finance and Settlement have examined the Justice Dockets and Treasury receipts and find same to be correct.

Ray Murphy, Frank Millikin, Ed Carlson.

Moved by Burke and supported by Scott that the salaries for County Officers be set at the same rate for ensuing term of office as they are at this time. All members voting yea. Motion carried.

Report of the Ways and Means Committee:

Gentlemen: Your committee on Ways and Means to whom was referred the matter of the County Budget for the period beginning January 1, 1947 to January 1, 1948 do hereby respectfully report that they have had the same under consideration and submit herewith our compilation of amount estimated to reach of the several departments of the General Fund of the County, to be required for the period stated, each of the several amounts have been derived at after careful consideration to the estimate for the next preceding period, and such other information available from the books and records of the activity of each

specie departments together with careful consideration of changes to be met in the future, it is therefore our opinion that this report is complete for the purpose intended and your committee respectfully recommend its adoption.

Dated October 23, 1946.

Circuit Court

Stenographer fees 400.00

Stenographer expense 100.00

Jury fees 500.00

Witness fees 50.00

Drawing fees 20.00

Attorney fees 355.00

Meals and care 50.00

Printing and binding 5.00

Postage 5.00

Clerks fees 10.00

Library fund 200.00

Veteran's counsel 250.00

Tax Allocation 3,468.55

Per diem and mileage 150.00

Printing and binding 5.00

Agriculture 155.00

County agent 250.00

Advertising 5.00

Grasshopper control 100.00

Dog Law Admin. 355.00

Treasury fees 80.00

Live stock claims 150.00

Justice Fees 10.00

Office supplies 5.00

Contagious 245.00

State Hospitals 3,000.00

Bonds and Insurance 547.24

County officer bonds 609.50

Insurance 245.00

Total \$29,703.29

George Burke

Archie Howe,

Leo Isenbauer,

Committee on Ways and Means.

Moved by Scott and supported by Murphy that the report of the Ways and Means Committee be accepted, approved and adopted.

Roll called: Yea: Scott, Murphy, Millikin, Isenbauer, Howe, Carlson and Dyer. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Bills of the several Supervisors were allowed at this time.

Leo Isenbauer \$24.80

Sydney A. Dyer 31.20

George Burke 24.00

Ray Murphy 27.60

Frank Millikin 27.20

Ed Carlson 24.00

Austin J. Scott 31.60

Archie Howe 29.20

Moved by Millikin and supported by Scott that we adjourn. All members voting Yea: Motion carried.

Sydney A. Dyer, Chairman.

Bessie Doner, Clerk.

Tomorrow is Forever

By GWEN BRISTOW

CHAPTER XX

Of course, we'll be liberating the Greeks and Poles and Russians and Norwegians and the rest, but especially we'll be keeping the United States okay. I guess we'll even make it better than it is when we clean up those fascist b— excuse me, when we clean up those palookas. We'll be that much ahead. We'll get the Four Freedoms any way, and that's something.

Dick announced to his parents that he was not going to finish this year at UCLA, and not going to wait at home until he was eighteen. He was going to join the Marines right now, if they'd have him.

Spratt told him to go ahead. "This is one place where you've got to make up your own mind," he said. "I'm not going to boss you."

To her own surprise, Elizabeth was able to answer him steadily. It was hard to happen, it had to happen. She said, "Go ahead, Dick. It's all right with me."

"Thanks," Dick said shortly. But he stood there, evidently wanting to say more. After a moment he pulled up a chair with his foot and sat straddling it. "I was talking to Kessler the other day," he began. "He told me a lot about the war, and all that. He said he thought I ought to tell you." He hesitated.

"Tell us what, Dick?" Spratt prompted him.

"Well, about making you understand that I didn't want to join the Marines just because I was excited or anything like that. About why this war is something we've got to do. You know it's got to be done, don't you?"

"Yes, we know it's got to be done," Spratt answered decisively. "I don't mind saying I'm sorry you've got to do it, Dick. But since you've got to do it, I'm glad you want to."

"And this war's got to be different from the last one," Dick persisted. "This time we've got to finish it, not leave everything up in the air the way it was before. You understand that too, don't you?" He looked at Elizabeth.

"Oh yes!" she exclaimed fervently. "I'm not very good at praying, but I feel like going down on my knees a dozen times a day to ask, 'Oh God, make this one different!'"

"That's a coward's prayer," Dick blurted rudely.

"Why—what do you mean?"

"I mean it is. Honestly, I've got a lot of things straight I never had before. Kessler didn't say just this, but I mean—well," he said defiantly, "just asking God to make this one different is being like some squashed-bottomed middle-aged dame eating chocolates and praying, 'Please God, don't let me get fat.' God answered her prayer when he gave her brains enough to know candy would make her fat. The rest is up to her. If this war is going to be different we've got to make it different—don't you see? It's up to us. Unconditional surrender, and then go on from there. Don't you see what I mean?"

He spoke with a pleading earnestness. His parents were hearing him in astonishment. They had never heard Dick talk like this before.

But instead of trying to evade it he had tried to understand it, and now, in halting sentences full of clichés and schoolboy colloquialisms, he was trying to make them understand it too.

"Well, I didn't figure it out all by myself. I'm not that smart. But in times like this, you do like to know what you're doing." Dick stood up and kicked his chair aside. "I guess you do understand," he said, and gave them a grin that was half embarrassed and half relieved.

Elizabeth came over to him. "Yes, we do. Go ahead, Dick. I mean it." She took his face between her hands and kissed him. It was the first kiss she had given him in a long time, and he kissed her back without minding it.

Early in March Dick and his friend Pudge went down to enlist in the Marines.

Elizabeth was in her room writing checks for the month's bills when he telephoned her.

"Mother!"

"Yes, Dick? What happened? Tell me!"

"Mother, they took me!"

"(This is your chance, Elizabeth," she was telling herself. "Do it right.")

"Oh Dick, they did really? I knew they would!"

"They took us both, me and Pudge both. He's phoning his folks now. They took us both, mother!"

"After all, how could they help it? As if they wouldn't be proud to get you."

"Well, I sort of thought they'd take me, but you know how it is. They said there was nothing wrong with me, and gosh, by this time they'd sure know if there was. You never heard of such an overhauling as they gave us. There's nothing wrong with you son, Mrs. Herlong."

Dick banged up the phone. Elizabeth heard the click and replaced her phone for a moment, then picked it up and dialed the studio. "Excuse me, please," she said. "Lydia? This is Elizabeth Herlong. May I speak to my husband? Spratt, this is Elizabeth. Dick just called from downtown. He's passed his physical. They took him."

"They did? Sure, I knew they would. Nothing wrong with Dick?" He hesitated an instant. "And you?"

"Fine."

"You mean it, don't you? You sound like it."

"Of course I mean it. I'm all right, Spratt."

He laughed softly. "Good. Keep it up."

Though the days that came afterward were not easy, they were easier than the first one. She seemed to have a great deal to do. There were parties, with Dick rushing about importantly and Cherry engrossed with clothes, for nearly all Dick's friends were going into some branch of the service. Brian strutted. "My brother, you know, the one that's in the Marines. Getting off to boot-camp next week."

Dick left for boot-camp, Elizabeth was not sure what either she or Spratt had said to him. There was a great deal of "Lucky it's only to San Diego. You'll be getting in for Sundays sometimes." And Dick, "Wait till you see me in a GI haircut. Won't know me." Spratt shook hands with him, grinning in spite of a faint mist about his eyes. Elizabeth kissed him goodbye. As she did so, Dick whispered to her, "You two are swell. Tell the boss I said so. Some of these mothers—the scenes they do put on! You wouldn't believe it."

It was an accolade. They got into the car to go home, knowing Elizabeth had done it well.

They got home. Kessler said to her, "Don't stay up to entertain me, Mrs. Herlong. I'll wait in the garden, by the pool."

Elizabeth said good night, and went upstairs while Spratt drove over to the Sterns. In her room she looked at herself in the mirror. Her face looked back at her strangely ordinary. She had to speak to him now. It might be sensible to wait till tomorrow, to be alone first and do some thinking. She could go to bed, and when Spratt came in she could pretend to be asleep; he would stop by her room, glance in a moment, and tiptoe to his own without disturbing her. That

she went downstairs through the quiet house, out of the back door into the garden. Kessler was there, but apparently he did not hear her footsteps on the

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Mrs. Pauline Wilcox and Mrs. Lorraine Fairbotham spent five days in Detroit and Ann Arbor.

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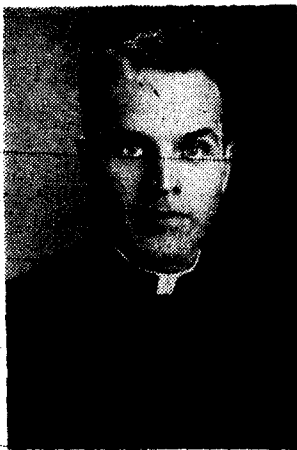
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Above is Rev. Walter Donald Bracken who sang his First Solenn High Mass Sunday, October 27, at St. Gabriel's Church, Dearborn, Michigan. Father Bracken was ordained to the Holy Priesthood Saturday, October 26, at the Blessed Sacrament Cathedral by His Eminence, Edward Cardinal Mooney, in the age-old and impressive rite of ordination. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bracken (Rosa Morency) and is well known in Grayling, having visited here many times.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Morency and Mrs. Amelia Smith were in attendance at the ordination.

Men's Wear Store. Week-end guests of W. O. Hildebrand at the Hildebrand cottage at Lake Margrethe last week-end were: Governor Harry Kelly, Comm. Oscar G. Olander of the State Police, Comm. David A. Forbes of the Insurance Dept., and Lord Dawson, Executive Secretary to the Governor, of Lansing, Mich.

Mrs. Holger Schmidt enjoyed a pleasant ten-day vacation—a day in Detroit and a couple days with her niece, Mrs. William Thompson, in LaFayette, Ind., then several days with her son Harold and wife in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. On Saturday, Howard and Devere joined her there, and the three returned by boat Monday evening.

Dick Dawson was home from Mt. Pleasant to spend the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Chorman of Wyandotte spent the week-end at Camp Chester, down-river.

Mrs. W. J. Aberle has been a patient at Mercy Hospital. She expects to be released from the hospital this week.

Mrs. Thelma Plagg returned Friday after spending several days in Bay City, Saginaw and Grand Rapids on business.

Mrs. Roy Trudgeon left for Detroit last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Madsen of Gaylord spent several days in Grayling last week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson were hosts to several of their friends Saturday evening at a potluck dinner.

Burrow's Market has a new neon sign.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Duerr of Detroit spent the week-end at their cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Just Received! Some smart numbers in Cosmetic, vernite and Week-end Luggage. Assorted colors and styles. E. R. Burns.

Mrs. Robert LaChapelle joined her husband on Saturday to spend the week-end in Grayling. She plans to give up her work in Cheboygan soon and with Mr. LaChapelle, make her home in Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gallahar of Flint are happy over the arrival of an 8-pound 12-ounce boy on October 24. The little fellow will be known as James Arnold. Mrs. Gallahar is the former Joan Montour.

Mrs. Holger Peterson left last Thursday evening to spend a few

days with Mr. Peterson and friends in Detroit. She will return this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur May and son Skipper spent the week-end in Rogers City to be in attendance at the funeral of E. K. Shurtum, Mrs. May's father, who passed away Friday.

Mrs. Ed Carlson, Mrs. Jesse Smock, Mrs. Lionel Smock, Mrs. Oscar Goss and Mrs. Charles Keway attended the football game at Harbor Springs, Friday. Mrs. Keway stayed to visit for a few days. Others from Grayling in attendance were Benton Jorgenson, Wesley Kumpula, Roger Giegling, Jim Kolka and Sandy Thompson.

Entertain With Halloween Party

October left with a gay farewell at the Halloween party given by Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson at their home Thursday evening. Characters of all kinds entered the darkened house, casting their shadows in the dim blue light. They formed a circle on the floor, surrounded by sheet-covered furniture peering over their shoulders.

Votes were cast for the best costumes, and prizes were won by 'Gipsy' Mary Jane Knibbs and Bob 'Daniel Boone' Welsh. After the traditional apple dunking, at which Jane Ann Martin won the prize, a treasure hunt sent couples and trios scurrying over town to find their objects and return within 30 minutes. The successful ones were Scotty Wylie, Mary Jane Knibbs, Barbara Miller, Dr. Carl Peterson and Dena Hunter.

A midnight buffet lunch was devoured, the best dish being hot home-baked beans in a big brown crock; these were donated by Mrs. Bertha Peterson. Delicious donuts made by Mrs. Weiss, with cider and coffee, all helped to satisfy appetites.

The guests were: Dr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wylie, Miss Jane Ann Martin, Mrs. Mary Jane Knibbs, Miss Barbara Miller, Bob Welsh, Fred Wester, Mrs. Kathleen Heilbrun, Sandy Selsby, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lawler.

BOWLING NEWS

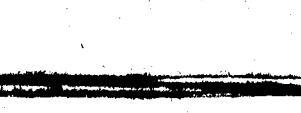
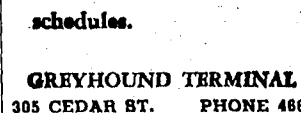
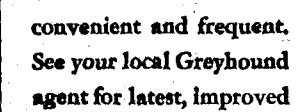
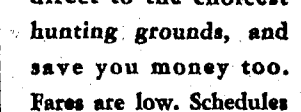
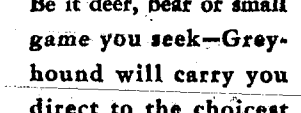
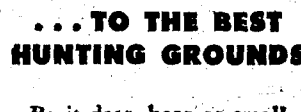
Five Grayling ladies met with five West Branch ladies in a bowling match. They played total pins. The Grayling ladies won—and everyone had such a good time that a return match is planned for the 1st of December.

Scores for West Branch were:
B. Stenlund 105 134 119
A. Jones 102 140 157
C. Steinhauer 112 170 115
M. Dole 128 144 121
C. Sargent 154 174 136

For Grayling:
A. Cariveau 125 134 131
C. Sorenson 135 117 122
D. Hayes 111 140 120
D. Hayes 154 119 118
E. Burch 153 132 163

The West Branch ladies gave the Grayling group a 61 handicap.

Go Direct



making the final score—West Branch 2071, and Grayling 2145.

ENTERTAIN BRIDGE CLUB
Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson and Mrs. Oscar Hanson were hosts to the Big Bridge Club at the summer home of the former last Wednesday evening. The affair was a

potluck supper.
In the card game that followed, Emil Giegling took top honors for the men and Dr. C. G. Clippert held second high; Mrs. Robert Hayes held high score for the ladies and Mrs. O. P. Schumann, second high. William Raue was a guest of the club.

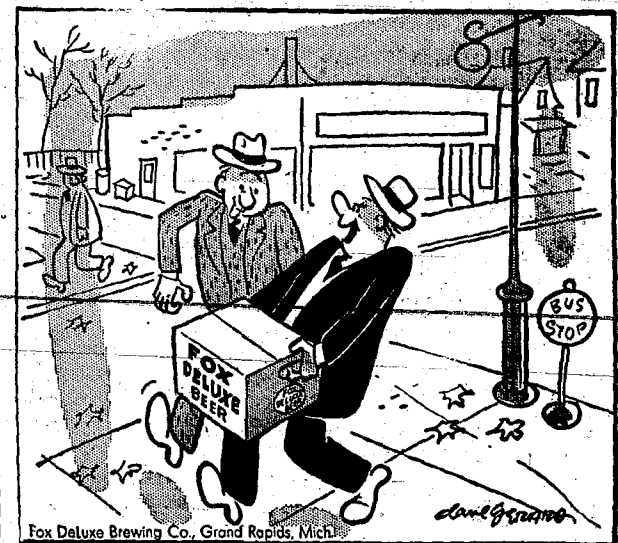
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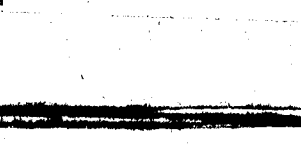
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LOCALS

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proper authorities, greatly honored by the Grayling community of Mrs. Mary Johnson to the Dept. Legislative Committee.

Maple Forest

Victor Johnson visited his parents over the week-end. Home Economics Group in Maple Forest is now divided into two parts. The lesson was given at the Forest on Thursday afternoon, to 14 members and five visitors. Mrs. Joseph McDevore was guest-of-honor and received many lovely gifts. Leonard Bigman is at home on a week-end. A week-end party was given at the Forest Hall, Saturday evening. Grotesque costumes added to the fun.

The members of the Home Economics Group in the Forest, were 11 members and two visitors present. Stanley Hummel has completed a quote type machine shed. Bob Owen spent last week-end at Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson and family of Detroit. Return to per case. Reward.

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for day with the Stanley Hummel last week. They had 80 acres of land, which is east of the Hummel farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDevore moved to their home in Maple Forest. Mrs. McDevore has come to stay with her mother the winter months. Mrs. East Lovely and daughter, Betty Louise, came home from the hospital last Wednesday.

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